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Editor's note.—Two new names are published: *Sterculia kayae* P.E. Berry, nom. nov. and *Xyris sulcatifolia* Kral, nom. nov.